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GOOD RACES AT FAIRMONT FAIR

Small Fields And Crowds But the Band Played Bravely On.

The first of the three days racing at the Fairmont Fair was rather good considering the small fields and small crowd of spectators. Less than a thousand paid admissions at the gate and the few hundred that came in on free passes or campaign tickets made up the remainder of the crowd.

The three harness races on the program were run off in straight heats with one exception, when Direct Roberts won the third heat of the 2:25 pace. Dr. Arthur Willis won favor in the eyes of the public by winning two of the three races with horses formerly trained by Robert Litter for A. D. Parr of Clarkburg. In the pace Scott Grey, driving Direct Roberts, formerly owned in this city by Abe Friedman and now the property of Cochran Brown, of Dawson, gave Willis a hard fight for the last heat after he had won the third heat of this race. A Peter the Great mare easily won the 2:25 trot with Eddie Haywood bounding around on the sulky behind her.

The favorite in the 5/8-mile run almost failed to show and this race was won by a three-year-old filly called "Cuddie Up." She managed to cuddle up so that the judges saw her first anyway.

Following is the result of the first day's racing:

First Race, 2:22 Stake Pace, Purse \$1,000  
Lord Talbot, by Lord Roberts, 1 1 1  
Brampton Maid, b. m. (McClintock), 2 2 2  
Alta Hall, b. m. (Rising), 3 3 3  
Time—2:17 1/4—2:19 1/4—2:20 3/4  
Second Race, 2:25 Pace, Purse \$400  
Lovesberry, by King of the Manor (Willis), 1 1 1  
Direct Roberts, b. g. (Coy), 2 2 2  
Farm Boy, g. g. (Reaves), 3 3 3  
Naama, br. f. (Stout), 4 4 4  
Minded Boy, b. h. (Minded), 5 4 dis  
Time—2:16 1/4  
Third Race, 2:25 Trot, Purse \$400  
Iona, the Great, b. m. by Peter the Great (Haywood), 1 1 1  
Filson, b. s. (McHenry), 2 2 2  
Franklin, R. oh. g. (Reaves), 3 3 3  
Lord of Lewis, b. h. (East), 4 3 3  
Time—2:21 1/4—2:20 1/4—2:23 1/4  
Fourth Race, Running 5/8 Mile, Purse \$100  
Cuddie Up, first, Sydney second, Front Royal third. Miss Maud also ran.

Killed Following Storm.  
DAVIS, W. Va., Aug. 23.—James Lambie, aged 52, a brother of George Lambie of Pittsburgh, Pa., was killed here last night. Lambie was on a pole making repairs following a storm when he was killed. The body was found suspended by a safety belt. His wife and three children survive.

Baseball in Nutshell

NATIONAL LEAGUE  
Yesterday's Results  
Philadelphia 6, Pittsburgh 2; Pittsburgh 9, Philadelphia 7; St. Louis 6, New York 4; Brooklyn 9, Chicago 4; Boston 1, Cincinnati 0 (five innings, darkness).

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

|              | W  | L  | Pct  |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| Brooklyn     | 68 | 40 | .630 |
| Boston       | 62 | 42 | .590 |
| Philadelphia | 64 | 45 | .587 |
| New York     | 53 | 56 | .486 |
| Pittsburgh   | 50 | 59 | .459 |
| St. Louis    | 52 | 64 | .443 |
| Chicago      | 51 | 63 | .447 |
| Cincinnati   | 43 | 74 | .368 |

Today's Schedule  
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh  
Brooklyn at Chicago

AMERICAN LEAGUE  
Yesterday's Results  
St. Louis 2, Washington 3 (fourteen innings, darkness); New York 7, Chicago 6; Philadelphia 1, Detroit 3; Boston 3, Cleveland 0.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

|              | W  | L  | Pct  |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| Boston       | 68 | 47 | .591 |
| Chicago      | 65 | 53 | .551 |
| New York     | 62 | 53 | .539 |
| St. Louis    | 63 | 54 | .538 |
| Detroit      | 64 | 55 | .538 |
| Cleveland    | 62 | 54 | .534 |
| Washington   | 54 | 59 | .473 |
| Philadelphia | 54 | 57 | .487 |

Cleveland at Boston  
St. Louis at Washington  
Detroit at Philadelphia  
Chicago at New York

One Minute Talks with Ballplayers

BUCK WEAVER, CHICAGO WHITE SOX:

"I was only 16 years old, but a good-sized kid at that when I decided to try my hand at baseball as a profession. The manager of the team at Stowe, Pa., my home town, first enlisted my services, but I went on strike when he refused to pay me 50 cents per game. Some of the older players were paid this sum and I thought I was entitled to it.

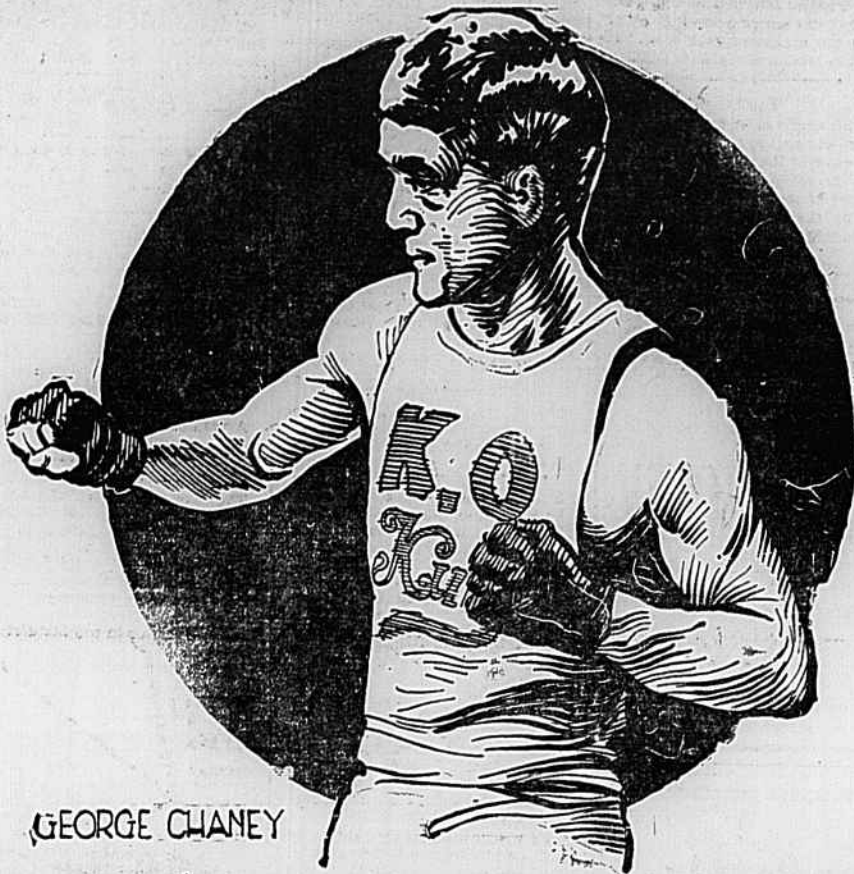
The manager couldn't see or hear me on the salary proposition, however, so I jumped the outfit and for the time played semi-pro ball in Pottstown, Royersford, Phoenixville and other of western Pennsylvania towns.

"Soon I started getting up in the game and traveled from Cleveland to Saginaw and thence around the country until I joined the Sox."

WALTER JOHNSON, WASHINGTON SENATORS:

"I lost money instead of making it when I pitched my first game of ball. I had been trying to get a job everywhere and was delighted when I got a telegram from the manager of a club just outside Los Angeles, where I was living then, telling me to be on hand Saturday. He offered me \$2.

CHANEY CALLS HIS KAYO PUNCH "HIGHLAND EARTHQUAKE;" WILL KILBANE BE IT'S NEXT VICTIM? TITLE COMBAT?



GEORGE CHANEY

BY HAROLD JOHNSON.

Scientifically speaking he hasn't one chance in a million.

But—An awkward style plus the punch may combine to make George Chaney, king of the featherweights on the afternoon of Sept. 4.

Sometime after 3 o'clock Labor Day fight fans assembled in the monster open air pavilion at Cedar Point, O., will be privileged to gaze upon the Highland Earthquake. That's what Chaney calls his southpaw kayo punch which has lulled to sleep 40 of his 71 opponents.

The Earthquake holds no terrors for Johnny Kilbane who will mingle with the Baltimorean on that date in a scheduled 15-round battle for the world's featherweight championship. Kilbane will depend on his superior boxing ability, speed and ringcraft to avoid the Earthquake.

Chaney has the biggest and strongest arms ever owned by a featherweight. He has the arms of a middleweight.

weight and a punch in his left that's just as convincing as that packed by many 155 pounders. At one time he scored six consecutive knockouts.

Twice he rang up five consecutive kayos. More than half his sleep-producers have found resting places in less than five rounds.

The challenger is built close to the ground, is game, fairly fast and a puzzling proposition for his opponent because he carries his fight with his right foot and right arms extended and relies almost wholly on his left mitt to bowl over his rivals.

Chaney is a product of Baltimore's East Side, the section whence came such top liners of boxing as Joe Gans, Billy Whistler, Kid Williams and Herman Miller. He came from an Irish family of fighters, four of the five sons being ring artists.

Long before he attained any prominence as a bone-crusher George tangled with Kid Williams, now bantam champ, and stopped the latter in six rounds. During his meteoric career the Kayo King has been kayoed twice and these are only defeats marked against him.

Showing Our 1917 Cars

We cordially invite Fair visitors to our exhibit of the late models of The Dodge Brothers Car, which may be seen near the entrance.

This exhibit will include besides the cars themselves, a stripped chassis, cut open so as to show the engine etc., in actual motion.

Automobile experts will give lectures on this wonderful car, and will gladly give any information desired.

Dodge Brothers, Packard and Buick owners and dealers are invited to make our exhibition tent their headquarters.

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SPORT NOTES

St. Louis fans suggest that Jones use Groom regularly to clean up Mack's two-year-olds.

Silent Martin employs deaf mute seconds when he's fighting in the ring. One broke two fingers the other night shouting encouragement to his employer.

The stogie is still the sweetest flower that blooms in Pittsburgh.

Now that it has been officially determined that the archery tournament will not interfere with the world's series or the presidential election the world may again breathe at ease.

Bill Shakespeare once said youth will have its fling. If there's any lurking suspicion as to the truth of this statement just ask Eddie Plank.

All but two of the champion horse-shoe pitchers met the other day in a tournament in Cleveland. We can't account for the absence of Nap Rucker and Al Demaree.

"Lobert batted for Kauff in ninth," reads line in recent box score. Unless we have booted the dope the Kauff mentioned above is the same guy who was going to show up Ty Cobb.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT AT COUNTRY CLUB

Open Events in Singles and Doubles Begin September Fourth.

September 4th will see the beginning of one of the fastest and most interesting open tennis tournaments of the season. The contests will be staged on the Country club courts under the rules and regulations of the United States Lawn Tennis association.

Singles and doubles for men only and mixed doubles are the events that have been announced. The entrance fee is two and three dollars for the singles and doubles respectively. A. J. Colburn, chairman of the tennis committee, will receive entries until the morning of the 4th, then the drawing will begin.

The winner and runner-up of the singles, the winners of the men's doubles and the mixed doubles will be awarded with handsome cups. J. G. Castle, the present holder of the challenge cup, will

play in the coming tournament. The visitors will be entertained by several social functions. J. O. Watson will act as official referee.

Sure Cure.

Anxious Mother—"It was after nine o'clock when Clara came down to breakfast this morning, and the poor girl didn't look well at all. Her system needs toning up. What do you think of iron?" Father—"Good idea!" Anxious Mother—"What kind of iron had she better take?" Father—"She had better take a flatiron."—Ex-

Learning From Tumbles.  
It does not matter how many tumbles you have in this life, so long as you do not get dirty when you tumble. There is the greatest practical benefit in making a few failures in life. You learn that which is of inestimable importance—that there are a great many people in the world who are just as clever as you are . . . and you very soon find out if you have not found it out before, that patience and tenacity of purpose are worth more than twice their weight in cleverness.—Huxley.

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